

## Ground Icing Checklist

### PROTECTED

#### Contamination Check

Wings (top/bottom) tactile inspection ..... clear  
Landing gear ..... clear  
Horizontal stabilizer (top/bottom) tactile inspection ..... clear  
Elevator/rudder control surfaces and gaps ..... clear  
Aileron/flap/slats and gaps ..... clear  
Engine/APU inlets ..... clear  
Static ports/pitot tubes/sensors ..... clear  
Fuselage ..... clear

#### Anticipating In-Flight Icing

Departure/En route/Destination  
SLD observed/expected ..... none  
Icing observed/expected ..... none/acceptable  
Assured exit strategy ..... planned

IF in-flight icing conditions are acceptable over entire route, continue. If not delay departure.

#### Ground Icing

- IF freezing precipitation or active frost, check if anti-ice is possible
1. Rotation speed  $\geq$  100 knots & Type I, II, III or IV fluids available OR  
Rotation speed < 100 knots & Type I or III fluids available
  2. Available fluid will protect aircraft during time needed for ground ops. See HOT tables. Continue with de/anti-icing procedure as required.

#### Before De/Anti-icing

IF de/anti-icing fluid will be used:  
Type I freezing point (refractometer reading) \_\_\_\_\_.  
Type II, III, IV glycol Mixture \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_

NOTE: Fluid should not be used for:

- 1) Moderate to heavy freezing rain
- 2) Heavy Snow
- 3) Ice Pellets

Aircraft positioned into wind (if possible)

Engine/APU ..... off/as required by AFM

No spray zones ..... briefed

Use hot air/brushes on engine/APU inlets/sensors

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Communication with ground crew ..... assured  
Responsibility for post-application inspection ..... stated  
(NOTE: aircraft with high tails may need to rely on the de-icing service provider to compete tactile inspection)

#### After De-icing Inspection

Wings (top/bottom) tactile inspection ..... clear  
Landing gear ..... clear  
Horizontal stabilizer (top/bottom) tactile inspection ..... clear  
Elevator/rudder gaps ..... clear  
Aileron/flap/slats gaps ..... clear  
Static ports/AOA vanes/pitot tubes/sensors ..... clear  
Fuselage ..... clear

Continue with anti-icing if freezing precipitation or active frost

#### Before Anti-Icing

Communication with ground crew ..... assured  
Responsibility for post-application inspection ..... stated

Final application start time \_\_\_\_\_

#### After Anti-icing Inspection

Wings (top/bottom) tactile inspection ..... clear  
Horizontal stabilizer (top/bottom) tactile inspection ..... clear  
Flight Control gaps ..... clear  
Static ports/AOA vanes/pitot tubes/sensors ..... clear

#### Pre-Takeoff Check

Immediately prior departure, verify that aircraft is still clean. Use extreme caution if the HOT has expired.

Wings ..... Visual/tactile inspection

**IF unsure or aircraft is contaminated, return for de-icing/anti-icing**

## Ground Icing Checklist UNPROTECTED

### Contamination Check

Wings (top/bottom) tactile inspection .....	clear
Landing gear .....	clear
Horizontal stabilizer (top/bottom) tactile inspection.....	clear
Elevator/rudder control surfaces and gaps .....	clear
Aileron/flap/slats and gaps.....	clear
Engine/APU inlets .....	clear
Static ports/pitot tubes/sensors .....	clear
Fuselage .....	clear

### Anticipated In Flight Icing

Departure/En route/Destination .....

Icing observed/expected .....none

IF in-flight icing is expected anywhere along the planned route, delay departure.

### Ground Icing

Freezing precipitation.....none

IF there is freezing precipitation on the ground, delay departure.

IF active frost is present, check if anti-ice is possible

1. Rotation speed  $\geq$  100 knots & Type I, II, III or IV fluids available OR  
Rotation speed < 100 knots & Type I or III fluids available
2. Available fluid will protect aircraft during time needed for ground ops. For active frost, professionally applied Type I will normally protect 45 minutes. If applied with a handheld sprayer, this time is likely to be reduced.

Continue with de-icing procedure

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### Before De/Anti-icing

IF de-icing fluid will be used:  
Aircraft positioned into wind (if possible) .....

No spray zones .....briefed

Use hot air/brushes on engine/APU inlets/sensors .....

Communication with ground crew .....assured

Responsibility for post-application inspection .....stated

### After De-icing Inspection

Wings (top/bottom) tactile inspection .....	clear
Landing gear .....	clear
Horizontal stabilizer (top/bottom) tactile inspection.....	clear
Flight Control gaps.....	clear
Static ports/pitot tubes/sensors .....	clear
Fuselage .....	clear

Continue with anti-icing if active frost present

### Before Anti-Icing (Active Frost only)

Communication with ground crew .....assured

Responsibility for post-application inspection .....stated

Final application start time .....

### After Anti-icing Inspection

Wings (top/bottom) tactile inspection .....	clear
Horizontal stabilizer (top/bottom) tactile inspection.....	clear
Flight control gaps.....	clear
Static ports/pitot tubes/sensors .....	clear

### Pre-Takeoff Check

Immediately prior to departure, verify that aircraft is still clean:

Wings ..... Visual/tactile inspection

**IF unsure or aircraft is contaminated, return for de-icing/anti-icing**